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		Application Number	
		Filing Date	December 14, 2004
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(Title of the Invention)

The specification of which:

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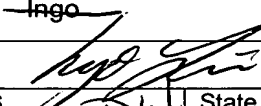
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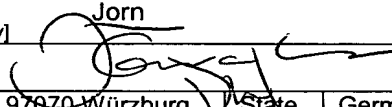
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